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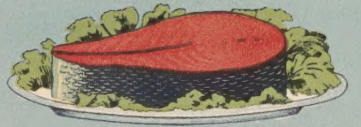

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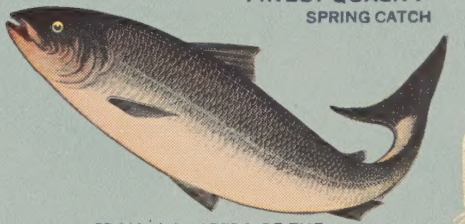

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We have deciphered the following names on the Point Adams Packing Company Quilt. The names are alphabetized as they appear on the circa 1955 quilt, whether married or maiden. For each embroidered signature square, there is a photo of the square and a biography page. Shown at the end are photos of signatures we have not been able to identify. We would appreciate any additional information or corrections.

Please contact info@astoriamuseums.org.

Thank you for your help!

Esther Louise (Wallingford) Anderson

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Maria Clara Cecile (Matineau) Laferriere

Eli Lee

Annie Alfred Lindberg

Bessie Ruth (Lawrence) Lindsley

Martha Lindstrom

Frona "Fronie" V. (Brawley) Maize

Bernice E. (Talfourd) Mansfield

Fanny Matilda (Merilainen) Mattila

Jean N. Moore

James "Jim" C. Moore

Emily (Emma) L. Mossman

Vernie Olive (Hamlin) Neal Frazier

Florence Marie (Elliott) Paaso

Impi Gustaava (Filby) Koivisto Palo

Raymond W. Perdue

Lessie Luetta (Loomis) Pevey

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Rosalie Rogers

Betty M. Rubens

Aina Rauha Laina (Salo) Salmi

Joanne L. (Richardson) Seelig

Esther M. Shea

Jewell Esther (Williams) Smotherman

Diana M. (Taylor) Wright

Gertrude May Walker

Marguerite G. Wilson

Virginia E. (Wofford) Holdener

Esther Andrews

Name (Maiden and Married) Esther Louise (Wallingford) Anderson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born in Warrenton, Oregon, October 25, 1902

Died in Warrenton, Oregon, September 6, 1974.

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, OR

Spouse

Married Joseph William Anderson in 1944

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1942 Polk directory lists her as cannery worker

1950 Federal Census lists her as a cannery worker in a fish cannery working 20 hours per week

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Hilda Anderson

Name (Maiden and Married) Hilda (Gunnari) Anderson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born October 19, 1890, Washington

Died July 15, 1969 In Astoria, Oregon.

Buried in Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, OR

Spouse

Married Wayne Jalmar Anderson (1899-1976)

Children

Stepdaughters Julia and Lela, Son Charles Wayne Anderson (1924-2006)

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular Completed third grade

Cannery Work

Listed as cannery worker on her death certificate

Other Occupations

1930 Federal Census lists her as a housewife

1940 Federal Census lists her as working ten weeks

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Mary Ann Latham

Name (Maiden and Married) Mary L. (Johnson) Anderson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born April 30, 1907

Died March 4, 1989, in Astoria, Oregon.

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Children

Gustave Charles Anderson

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in 1957 Polk Directory as an employee of Columbia River Packers Association

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishment

Wendy Anderson

Name (Maiden and Married) Wanda Camille (Sparrell) Lemmon Anderson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born October 6, 1909 in Eureka, Montana

Spouse

Married Albert Lemmon (April 3, 1904-June 13, 1946), Roseburg, Oregon "to reside in Marshfield, Coos County," in 1926.

Widowed June 13, 1946

Married Adler Marion Anderson, Warrenton, Oregon, May 8, 1954

Married Clyde Vasco Christy (1901-?), Warrenton, Oregon, March 3, 1961.

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in 1950 Federal Census as a widow working in a fish cannery "picks & cleans crab"

Listed on 1961 marriage certificate as a cannery worker

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Signe W. (Wouri) Baldwin Shappee

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born August 10,1914 in Finland, became a naturalized United States citizen

Died November 2, 1993, Tillamook, Oregon

Buried as Signe Baldwin, Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Warren Nelson Baldwin who died in a house fire November 10, 1963.

Married Rudolph Shappee April 21, 1967.

Children

Sons William D. and Donald W, Baldwin

Divorced

Divorced by Rudolph Shappee December 2, 1969.

Education & Extracurricular

Elementary school, 7th grade

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

1950 census lists her as a housewife

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Ed Beard

Name (Maiden and Married) Edward A Beard

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born February 24, 1895, Astoria, Oregon

Died August 22, 1986, Salem, Oregon.

Buried Greenwood Cemetery, Astoria, Oregon

Spouse

Married Dorothy Portwood June 5,1918 in St. Helens, Oregon

Married Viola Corrigan (September 18, 1905-April 1, 2002)

Children

Barbara (Beard) Carpenter

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Astoria High School 1913-14, *Zephyrus* editor, writer; debate

As a sophomore in 1912, high jump winner and elected class Track Manager

Senior class treasurer. Briefly attended Oregon State University

Cannery Work

Listed as fish grader for Elmore Cannery in 1917-18 Astoria Directory

1919 worked for Barbey Packing Company

March 5, 1920, Point Adams Packing Company incorporated with Lawrence Rogers as president and Edward Beard as Vice-president. Edward Beard worked at Point Adams Packing Co. for 40 years. Lived next door to the cannery.

1923 Laurence Rogers and Edward Beard form Beard and Rogers Cannery in Tillamook, OR.

Community Involvement

Reported in the 1940 *Astorian*, Elected to Hammond Town Council

1931-32 School Directory, School District No. 6, Hammond, Director for three years.

1972 Red Stocking Revue, Patrons, Mr. & Mrs. Edward Beard

Church

Other Accomplishments

WWI, CPL, U.S. Army veteran, listed in 1919 Astoria High School *Zephyrus* Honor Roll

Name (Maiden and Married) Lucille (Draper) Berger

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born March 22, 1916, Oregon City, Oregon

Spouse

Victor L. Berger

Children

Michael Jay Berger, Robert P. Berger

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

West Linn High School American Girls Chorus in the operetta "Belle of Bagdad," Glee Club, role in opera "Pinafore."

Cannery Work

1960 Astoria Directory lists her as a "Filler," Union Fisherman's Co-op

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Mina Brown

Name (Maiden and Married) Miriam Mardella (Morgan) Bronson Lonsbery

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born October 16, 1923, Tacoma, Washington

Died 1992

Buried Fern Hill Cemetery, Aberdeen, Washington

Spouse

Married William Bronson April 7, 1945

Divorced by William Bronson November 5, 1962

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Listed in 1974 Polk Salem, Oregon Directory as a mushroom picker

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Clara Brandon

Name (Maiden and Married) Olive Bronson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born 1895 in Idaho

Died 1991

Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Vernon J. Bronson

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as fish cannery worker

Listed in 1957 Polk Directory as employee of Point Adams Packing Company

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

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Name (Maiden and Married) Ethel P. Buchanan

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born July 9, 1908, Turtle Lake, Wisconsin

Died July 25, 1995, Warrenton, Oregon. Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Children

Patricia (Buchanan) Foster, Bettie (Buchanan) Rubens, Jacquie (Buchanan) Nichols, Mary (Buchanan) Silver

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Graduated from Warrenton High School. Attended Oregon Normal School (W Oregon State College).

Cannery Work

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, 1987, Vo. 7, No. 3, p 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company. Starting in 1947 worked at Point Adams Cannery until retirement. According to her obituary and Nettie Blair, managed the Point Adams cannery in Alakanak, Alaska from May to August for some years.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Loving Faith Ministries, Vision Northwest, Warrenton Garden Club, Finnish Brotherhood, Socko Club, Rebekah Lodge #234 and Theta Rho. Original member of Crazy 8s Club.

Church

Valley Printing Company
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Hammond, Oregon

Name (Maiden and Married) Valley Pearl (Lukes) Byrd

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born February 3, 1907, Shannon County, Missouri

Died December 31, 1990

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton. Oregon

Spouse

Married Emra Franklin Byrd September 10, 1927

Children

John L. Byrd, Blanche L. Byrd

Divorced

By Emra F. Byrd December 1, 1969

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Created Point Adams Cannery Quilt

Divorce record lists occupation as fish packer

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Mari Takabayashi

Name (Maiden and Married) Eunice "Marie" Callaway

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born January 21,1920 in Texas

Died September 16, 1983 .

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse J

James W, Callaway (1916-September 4, 1965)

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as working at a fish cannery picking and cleaning crab.

1968 Polk Directory list her as a widow working at Point Adams Packing

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Elma Culverson

Name (Maiden and Married) Elma M. Cederstam

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born February 7,1907

Died April 4, 1986

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Axel Cederstam

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Corinne Smith

Name (Maiden and Married) Corinne Culp Sparks Cobb

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born January 20, 1912, Port Angeles, Washington

Died January 9, 1912

Spouse

Married Robert R. Sparks, Nex Perce County, Idaho, March 1, 1965.

Married Royce Clark Cobb (1910-1974)

Children

Divorced

Divorced Charles Culp April 16, 1995

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Leona Culp.

Name (Maiden and Married) Mary Leona (Williams) Culp

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born, February 21, 1909, Birch Tree, Shannon County, Missouri

Died December 24, 1999, Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Stephen Yale Culp (1905-1988), Married, October 6, 1944

Joseph Calvin Dunn (1907-1980)

Children

Charles L. Culp

Stepsons Dewey A. Dunn, Kenneth D. Dunn

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Rose Delaney

Name (Maiden and Married) Rose Agnes (Birkholz) Delaney

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born March 10, 1925, Astoria, Oregon

Died September 29, 2006, Multnomah County, Oregon

Spouse

Married Harold E. Delaney October 10,1945

Children

Joe A. Delaney, Donald W. Delaney, Ronald E. Delaney

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Recipe for Lemon Pie Filling published in 1947-48 Warrenton PTA Cookbook

Name (Maiden and Married) Clara Lona (Andrews) Doney

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born July 24, 1905, Missouri

Died December 19, 1993, Clatsop County

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Frank Harvey Doney (1905-1988), June 13, 1931

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

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Name (Maiden and Married) Etta May Doney

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born December 2, 1906, Missouri

Died May 14, 1993

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Charles L. Doney (October 1, 1901-October 12, 1978)

Children

Robert Gerald Doney, Ronald Delbert Doney, Norman Allen Doney, John Paul Doney, Joseph Anthony Doney, Glenn P. Doney

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Henriette Dupuis

Name (Maiden and Married) Henrietta Dupre

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born September 11, 1911 in France

Spouse

E. H. Dupre

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Sincerely yours

Name (Maiden and Married) Dorothy Lillian (Marshall) Eggleston

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born January 2, 1915, Seaside, Oregon

Died June 27, 1995, Clatsop County, Oregon

Spouse

Gerald Paul Eggleston

Children

William C. Eggleston, James L. Eggleston

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Completed three years of high school

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

of Thelma Erickson

Name (Maiden and Married) Thelma H. Erickson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Spouse

Married Jacob Erickson September 1, 1945

Children

Divorced

Thelma Erickson divorced Jacob Erickson March 14, 1950

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as packing and cleaning crab.

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Judith "Judy" Ann (Gaither) Jurgensen

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born April 23, 1938, Astoria, Oregon

Died September 26, 1991, Clatsop County

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

John Daniel Jurgensen (1929-2002), married December 16, 1961

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Warrenton High School, Girls' Athletic Association President, Mixed Chorus, Pep Club, Homecoming Princess, Junior and Senior Prom Princess, Volleyball, Softball, Warrior Staff, Bowling, Smoke Signal Staff, Senior Class Treasurer

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Laundry Worker, Crystal Laundry

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Sigma Huntley

Name (Maiden and Married) Signa Ali Hartley

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born December 4, 1903

Died December 11, 1982

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Robert B. Hartley (1900-1947) in 1926

Children

Donna Mae Hartley Hahn, Floyd B. Hartley, Robert L. Hartley

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in 1955 Polk Directory as cannery worker, Point Adams Packing

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Nina Hellig-Olsen

Name (Maiden and Married) Neva Helligso

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born 1911

Died 2003

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Gunnar John Helligso, Married December 25, 1929

Children ,

Donald Lee Helligso, Michael John "Mike" Helligso, Geraldine Helligso

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Graduated from High School

Cannery Work

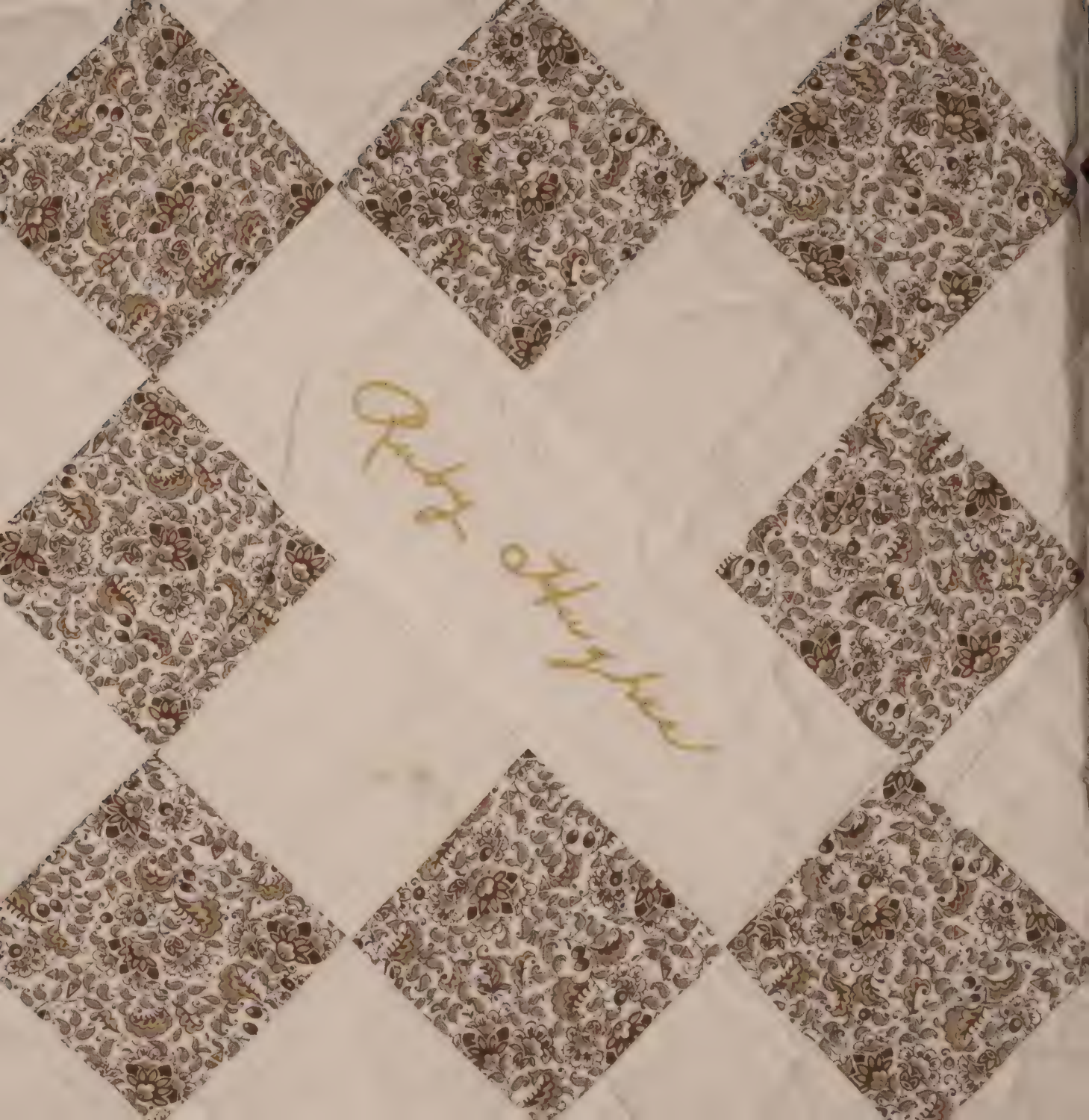
Mentioned in *Cumtux ,* Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

According to Nettie Blair. Neva worked some years from May to August in the Point Adams Cannery in Alakanuk, Alaska

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments



Name (Maiden and Married) Ruby I. (Arnold) Gray Hughes

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born March 3,1913, in Texas

Died August 30,1982

Buried in Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Howard Gray (1908-1942)

Married Slaton Orville Hughes (1912-1998)

Children

Irma R. Hughes

Stepchildren: Howard E. Gray, Sara Jo Gray, Ella Fern Gray

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as working in a fish cannery picking and cleaning crab

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Signed Johnson

Name (Maiden and Married) Signe Brandal Johnsen

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born November 30, 1914 in Norway

Spouse

Married Gilbert Johnsen January 29, 1932 in Seattle, Washington, moved to Clatsop County in 1946

Children

Norman Johnsen, Lillian Johnsen Anderson

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Worked for Point Adams Packing Company for 38 years

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Sons of Norway, known for her Norwegian baking

Church

Other Accomplishments

Ruth A. Killion

Name (Maiden and Married) Ruby A. Killian

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Spouse

David W. Killian

Children

William F. Killian, Juanita L. Killian, Robert C. Killian, David C. Killian, Loretta E. Killian

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in the 1950 Federal Census as working in a cannery as a crab picker

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Anne Koler

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born September 14, 1902 in Yugoslavia

Died October 27, 1969

Buried St. Johns Cemetery, Oregon City, Oregon

Spouse

Steve Koler (Anna listed as a widow in the 1960 Polk Directory)

Children

Ellen Salsbery

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Lily Pads

Name (Maiden and Married) Lily Ladd

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Spouse

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in the 1953-54 Polk Directory as a cannery worker at Sebastian-Stuart Fish in Warrenton, Oregon

According to Nettie Blair, Lily lost a foot in an on-the job injury in the Point Adams Packing Company

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Maria Clara Cecile (Matineau) Laferriere

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born February 17, 1901, Quebec, Canada

Died August 14, 1993, Seaside

Buried in Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Alfred Oliver Laferriere (1903-1970), Married June 29, 1925 in Douglas, Massachusetts+

Children

Jacques Alfred Laferriere, John Elzear Laferriere, Elizabeth Ann Laferriere George, Francis Joseph Laferriere, Guy Joseph Laferriere, Maria Clara Laferriere Rummell

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as working in a fish cannery picking and cleaning crab

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Bilingual, French and English

Name (Maiden and Married) Eli Lee

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born July 26, 1891 in Norway

Died November 9, 1974

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Martin Lee, May 1, 1915, Minot, North Dakota

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

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Name (Maiden and Married) Annie A. Lindberg

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Spouse

Married Eric E. Lindberg March 14, 1953

Children

Divorced

Annie divorced Eric December 20, 1954

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Hammond City Council

Church

Other Accomplishments

Bessie Lindsley

Name (Maiden and Married) Bessie Ruth (Lawrence) Lindsley

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born February 3, 1908, Hansboro, North Dakota

Died May 15, 1996, Warrenton Oregon

Buried in Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Earl Clifford Lindsley

Children

Robert Lindsley, Betty Lou Russell, Majorie Jean Lindsley Smith

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Second Year of High School

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Martha Lindsay

Name (Maiden and Married) Martha Lindstrom

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Spouse

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

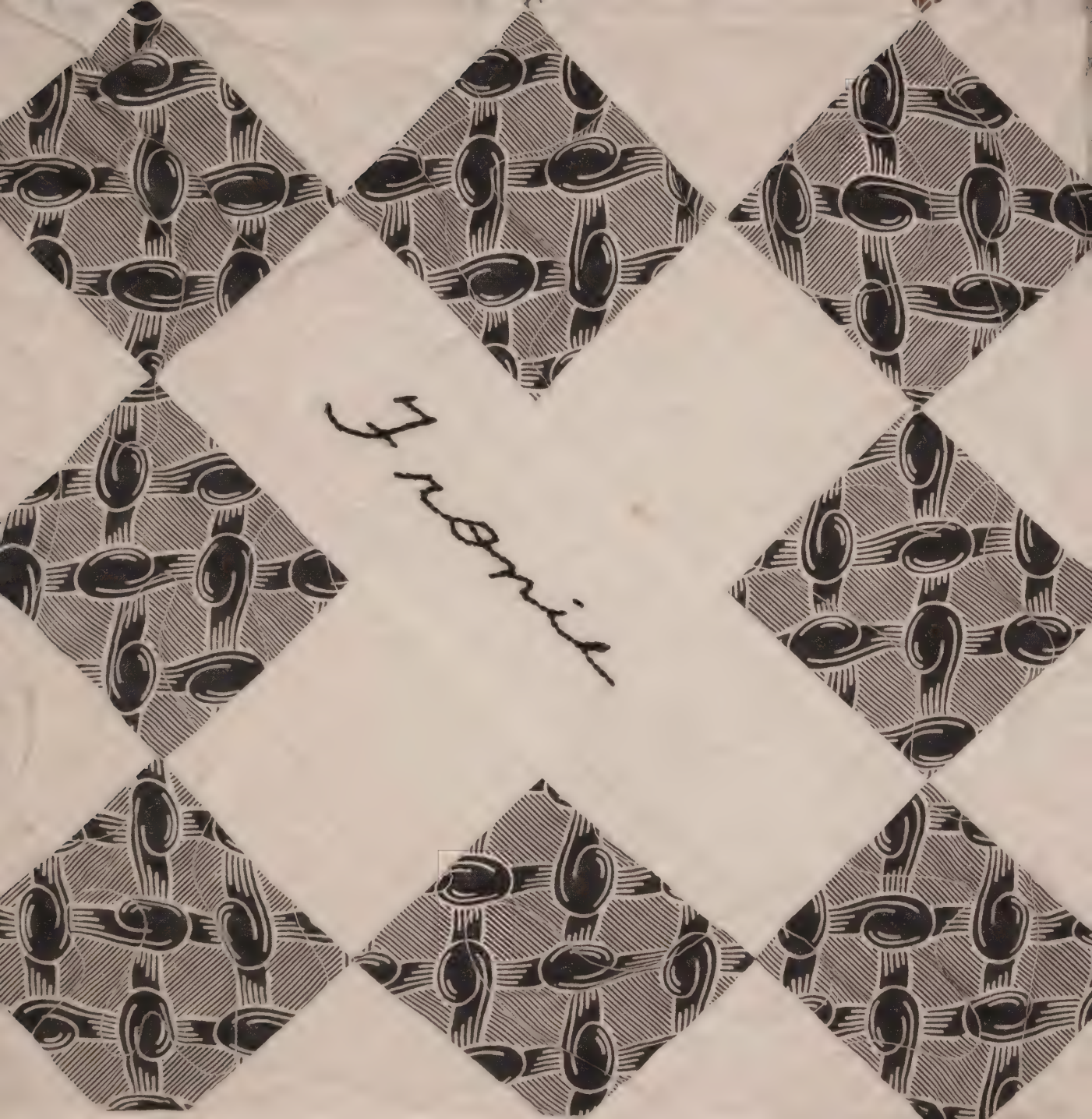
Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments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Name (Maiden and Married) Frona "Fronie" V. (Brawley) Maize

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born March 30, 1902 in Missouri

Died October 9, 1987, Redding, California

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married William to Maize (1903-1969) in 1920, Winona, Missouri

Children

Ruben Jackson Maize, Hazel Lenore Maize, William "Bob" Robert Maize

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Bernice E. (Talfourd) Mansfield

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

January 25, 1914 in Finland or Astoria

Died March 29, 1999

Spouse

George Newton Mansfield (office manager at Point Adams Packing)

Children

Stepchildren Donna B. Talford and Michael W. Ober

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as a cannery worker in a fish cannery

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Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Fanny Mottier

Name (Maiden and Married) Fanny Matilda (Merilainen) Mattila

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born June 21, 1903, Saraisniemi, Finland, Naturalized citizen January 19, 1925 in Clatsop County, Oregon, emigrated through Liverpool, England, arrived November 1, 1911 on the White Star Line ship *Magantic*

Died September 30, 1990.

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Eino A. Mattila (1907-1989) June 22, 1925 listed as cannery worker in Polk directories

Children

Allen Mattila

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Elementary School through seventh grade

Cannery Work

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Jean N. Moore

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Georgia

Spouse

James C. Moore

Children

Dwight W. Moore

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed as cannery worker in a fish cannery in 1950 Federal census.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

B. M
Moore

Name (Maiden and Married) James "Jim" C. Moore

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born November 8, 1923, Tallahassee, Florida

Spouse

Married Nellie Jean Murray March 6, 1929 in Leesburg, Georgia, listed as cannery worker in Warrenton, Oregon. She sued for divorce effective November 23, 1945.

Married Jean N. (Jeanine Sue Raike) Moore on January 14, 1975 in Vancouver, Washington.

Children

Dwight W. Moore

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in 1950 Federal Census as a maintenance worker in a fish cannery; listed in 1945 divorce decree as a cannery worker at San Juan Packing in Warrenton, Oregon.

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company, "worked in the front end of the cannery, replacing those workers lost at the onset of World War II."

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Emily (Emma) L. Mossman

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born June 26, 1895

Died December 20, 1996

Burried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Maurice J. Mossman (1892-1971)

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1950 Federal Census lists her as working in a fish cannery as a crab picker

Listed as retired in 1972 Polk directory

Listed as widow, retired in 1973 Polk directory

Other Occupations

Church

Peace Lutheran March 20, 1980 minutes of the Aurora Unit list Emma Mossman as a guest

Other Accomplishments

Vanessa Mack

Name (Maiden and Married) Vernie Olive (Hamlin) Neal Frazier

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born July 5,1902, Keystone, Oklahoma

Died March 6, 1988

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Loris Dewey Neal (1897-1962)

Married Ralph Frazier (1903-1988), January 7, 1970, Warrenton, Oregon. Vernie listed on marriage certificate as retired and widowed.

Children

Lila M. Neal, Donald R. Neal, James V. Neal

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Mrs. Vernie Neal installed Rebekah Pacific Lodge #234 Warrenton Oregon, January 9, 1930

Johnnie Ray

Name (Maiden and Married) Florence Marie (Elliott) Paaso

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born March 19, 1906, Dahlia, Washington

Died May 22, 1995

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Aner Paaso (1900-1982) on August 28, 1928

Renewed their wedding vows at Peace Lutheran, Astoria, Oregon on their 50th wedding anniversary

Children

Joan Paaso Hansen, John E. "Jack" Paaso,

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Graduated from Astoria High School

Cannery Work

Retired from Point Adams Packing Company in 1971. Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company. According to Nettie Blair, Aner Paaso also worked at Point Adams Packing Company

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Loved doing needlework, some of which is displayed at the Flavel House in Astoria, Oregon.

Church

Member Peace Lutheran, Astoria, Oregon, regularly attended Loaves and Fishes.

IMPI PALO

Name (Maiden and Married) Impi Gustaava (Filby) Koivisto Palo

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born July 28, 1896, Granite, Montana

Naturalized February 9, 1939

Died August 6, 1995

Buried in Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Herman Jacob Koivisto (Birch), November 6, 1915, Silver Bow, Montana. Divorced June 2, 1938. In 1939 Impi Herman, filed a document with the Astoria, Oregon court affirming her United States citizenship, fearing she had lost it by marrying a Finnish citizen.

Married John Einar Palo, December 10, 1938. Clark County, Washington. John died in 1975

Children

Evelyn Koivisto (Birch) Graichen died 1991.

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Other Occupations

According to her obituary, she lived in Warrenton, Oregon for 30 years and worked for Point Adams Packing Company for many years.

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Raymond W Rankin

Name (Maiden and Married) Raymond W. Perdue

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born June 4, 1926, Fort Stevens, Oregon

Spouse

Married Shirley A. Perdue August 24, 1949,

Divorced by Shirley Perdue, June 27, 1950

Married Hazel Naomi Mobley, September 27, 1952

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupation

Listed as employee of Post Laundry on his draft registration card at age 18

Listed as a Flier Workman and Engineer in local directories

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Annie Perry

Name (Maiden and Married) Lessie Luetta (Loomis) Pevey

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born April 19, 1900, Warrenton, Oregon

Died March 24, 1966, Astoria, Oregon

Spouse

Floyd E. Pevey

Children

Jerry Van Volkinburg

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Death certificate lists her as a cannery worker in the fishing industry

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Edythe Kathryn (Heintzelman) Rogers

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born, June 5, 1921, Buckingham, Iowa

Died, December 22, 1997, Astoria, Oregon

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Charles Lawrence Rogers (1918-1997) married 1940, co-founder of Point Adams Packing Company

Children

Charles L. Rogers (1941-2020), Susan Ann Rogers

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Completed high school

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

1940 Federal census lists her as saleslady. 1950 Federal census list her as housewife

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Rosalie Rogers

Name (Maiden and Married) Rosalie Gladys (Yeager) Nygren Rogers

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born January 29, 1932, Hammond, Oregon

Died August 7, 2016

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Sigurd Nygren

Father-in-law was Lawrence Rogers co-founder of Point Adams Packing

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Owner and founder of Fort Stevens Shopping Center and Fort Stevens Charters for over 50 years

Brokered six charter boats

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Betty M. Rubens

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born September 1931

Spouse

Joseph Rubens

Children

Rebecca L. Rubens, Joseph F. Rubens, Jr.

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

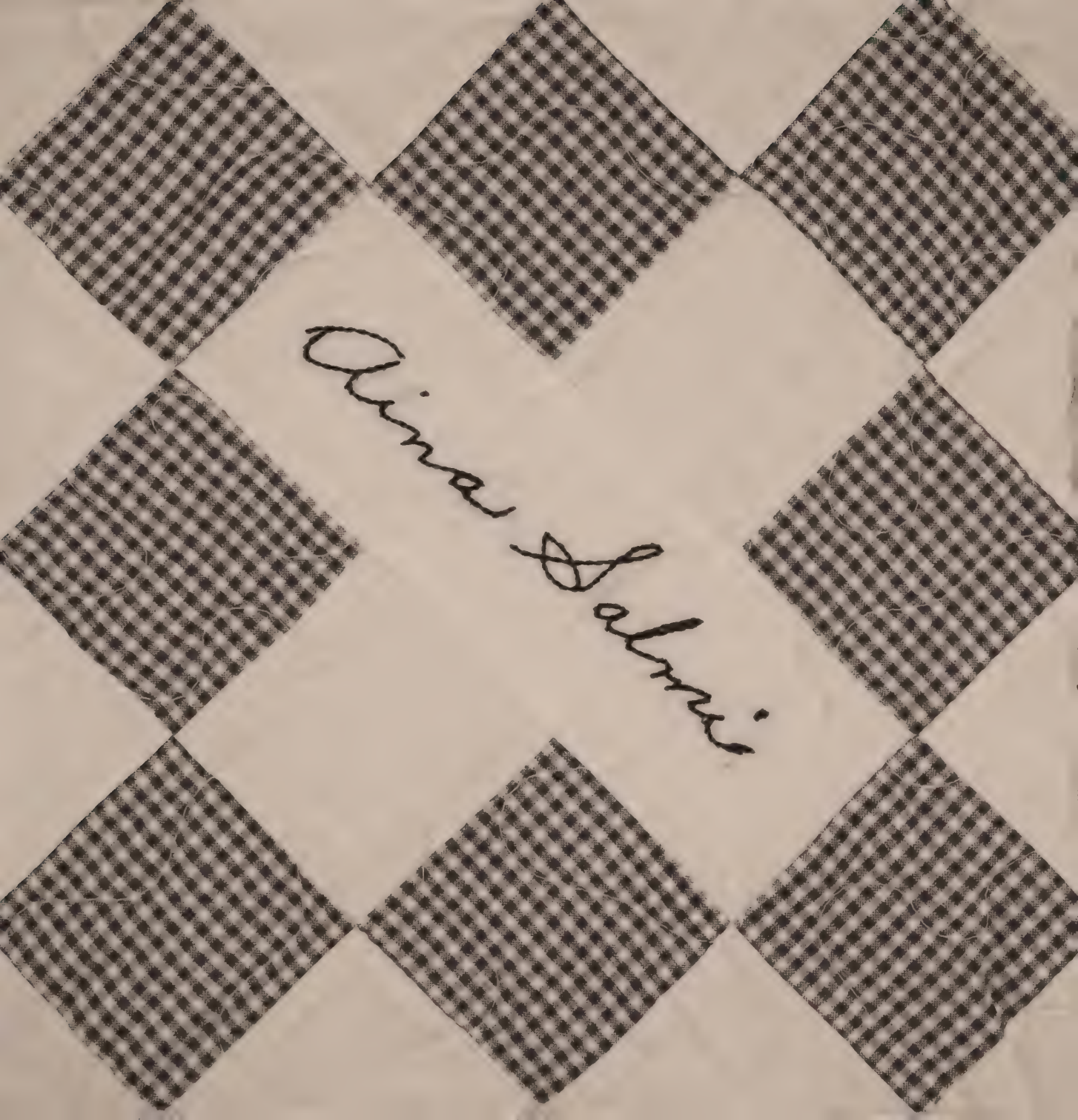
Other Occupations

1950 Federal Census lists her as housewife

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments


Dina Salmi

Name (Maiden and Married) Aina Rauha Laina (Salo) Salmi

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born January 1, 1904, Laihia, Finland

Died April 8,1979, Vancouver ,Washington

Buried Greenwood Cemetary, Astoria, Oregon

Spouse

Married Edward John Salmi (1900-1979) in 1922

Children

Leonard E. Salmi (1925-1935), Elmer Rudolph Salmi (1924-2005), Raymond Edward Salmi (1927-2012), Robert Thomas Salmi (1933-1991), Irvin T. Salmi, Beverly J. Salmi, Mary Salmi (1923-23), Violet Salmi (1923-23)

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

1950 Federal Census Lists her as housewife

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Anna Seelig

Name (Maiden and Married) Joanne L. (Richardson) Seelig

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born September 24, 1938, Green River, Wyoming

Spouse

Married Maurice Edward "Mo" Seelig (1932-2003) February 9, 1954

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

1953 Warrenton High School Yearbook lists her as participating in musical concerts and commencement, Girls League, Tri-Y

Cannery Work

1984 & 1986 Polk directories list her as a cannery worker at Point Adams Packing

1978 Astoria City Directory lists her a clerk

1980 Polk directory lists her as working at Warrenton Deep Sea

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

October 17, 2017 *Daily Astorian* regarding winter preparations: "I'm getting all of my gas appliances checked. And one needed to be fixed!"

September 26, 2006 *Daily Astorian,* "Warrenton Business Association presented awards ...to Joane Seelig for residential landscaping. "I do it myself," Seelig said of her landscaping at her house. She is happy others admire it, too."

Other Accomplishments

Emilien Schaa

Name (Maiden and Married) Esther M. Shea

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born June 11, 1896

Died October 6,1975

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Albert D. Shea (1884-1937)

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

1920 Federal Census lists her as living in Warrenton with her husband and not working

1940 Federal Census lists her as widowed living with her sister and brother-in-law

1950 Federal Census lists her as a widowed living alone and working in a fish cannery as a picker (clerk) crab

Mentioned in *Cumtux*, Summer, Vol.7, No. 3, P. 3-13 as a salmon packer at Point Adams Packing Company.

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Laurel Smithson

Name (Maiden and Married) Jewell Esther (Williams) Smotherman

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born May 1, 1919, Birth Tree, Missouri

Died June 20, 2020

Buried Ocean View Cemetery, Warrenton, Oregon

Spouse

Married Otto Sofies Smotherman (1903-1962) on April 7, 1936 in Howell, Missouri

Married Arthur Christensen Byington March 13, 1967

Married David Elliott Gale (1925-1999) in 1978

Divorced

Children

Lowell Clayton Smotherman (1948-2014); Gerald C. Smotherman; Katena Smotherman

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in 1975 Astoria Directory as living alone and working in a Warrenton cannery

Other Occupations

Listed in 1920 Federal Census as an infant living with family in Barlett, Missouri including eight sisters.

Listed in 1940 Federal Census as a housewife in Bartlett, Missouri living with her husband, sister and brother-in-law

Listed in 1950 Federal Census as a housewife

Community Involvement

Other Accomplishments

Diana Taylor

Name (Maiden and Married) Diana M. (Taylor) Wright

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born November 30, 1935

Died December 8, 2008

Spouse

Married Eldon J. Wright, Sr. (1941-2009) February 5, 1962

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

1953 Astoria High School Senior, Class Treasurer. 1953 Regatta Court Princess.

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Grandma Walker

Name (Maiden and Married) Gertrude May Walker

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born December 8, 1903 in Warrenton, Oregon

Died July 2, 1989, Long Beach Washington.

Cremated and buried, Greenwood Cemetery, Astoria, Oregon

Spouse

William H. Walker

Children

James G. Walker, Robert Walker, Desmond Walker, Gary Walker, Kent Walker

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

1940 Federal Census lists her as a high school graduate

Cannery Work

Listed in 1930 Federal Census as a telephone company operator

Listed in 1950 Federal Census working in a fish cannery 28 hours a week

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Marguerite Wilson

Name (Maiden and Married) Marguerite G. Wilson

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born 1907

Died February 19, 2005.

Buried City View Cemetery, Salem, Oregon

Spouse

Married Thomas Leon Wilson (1920-1995)

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

Cannery Work

Listed in the 1950 Federal Census as working in a fish cannery 20 hours per week

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

Name (Maiden and Married) Virginia E. (Wofford) Holdener

Birth and Death Dates and Locations

Born June 19, 1936, Astoria, Oregon

Spouse

Married Robert Lawrence Holdener (1932-?) May 7, 1955, Astoria, Oregon

Children

Divorced

Education & Extracurricular

In 1953 Warrenton High School Yearbook,, Junior Class Play, "It's a Great Life,"

In 1954 Warrenton High School Yearbook, Vice-president Girls League, Girls Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Pep Club

Cannery Work

Other Occupations

Community Involvement

Church

Other Accomplishments

The following quilt squares have embroidered signatures we have not been able to decipher.

Please help us identify them!

Susan Rodberg

Anna Swanson

My Mom